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RESTORING TRAFFIC DURING FAILOVER IN

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AMENDMENT B

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 6, 2006, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begin on page $\underline{2}$ of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.